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Applicant: Kohane *et al.*
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Sir:

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Responsive to the Office Action mailed August 7, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests entrance of the following Amendment and consideration of the following Remarks. The deadline for responding to the Office Action without fees was December 7, 2007. A three-month extension of time from December 7, 2007, up to and including March 7, 2008, is hereby respectfully requested, and the extension fee of \$525.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) for a small entity is being paid via the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office's Electronic Filing System's credit card payment option. Applicant thus submits that the present Response is timely submitted on Friday, March 7, 2008.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this Response.